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(S) On July 3, Hakan Rooth, Deputy Director of the MFA Department for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation, told us that Sweden continues to inspect IRISL vessels whenever there is reason to believe that an aircraft or vessel is transporting goods prohibited by UNSCRs 1803, 1737 or 1747. He stated that Sweden will continue to exercise vigilance with regard to IRISL-related transport of goods through Swedish jurisdiction and scrutinize the financial support for such transfers. He thanked the U.S. for providing information about interdictions of IRISL cargo involving designated entities in 2007. Rooth added that he will share this information with colleagues in other Swedish agencies and would encourage companies doing business with IRISL to practice due diligence in their dealings with the company.

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